



CITY OF LODI

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

AGENDA TITLE: Adopt Resolution Awarding Contract for Landscape and Irrigation Installation on the South Hutchins Street Median to Odyssey Landscape Company, of Stockton (\$184,040) and Appropriate Funds for the Project

MEETING DATE: December 19, 2001

PREPARED BY: Public Works Director

RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the City Council adopt a resolution awarding the contract for the above project to Odyssey Landscape Company, of Stockton, in the amount of \$184,039, and appropriate \$190,000 for the project.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: The South Hutchins Street median has not been landscaped since it was installed in 1974. As this is one of the main entrances to Lodi, the City has had many requests from the public to have it landscaped. Besides the aesthetics, the installation of landscaping will suppress dust and increase the shade on South Hutchins Street, thereby reducing the urban-heat-island effect. In addition to landscaping the center median, also included in this project is the east side frontage from Century Boulevard to Mendocino Drive. The requested appropriation includes \$4,961 for contingencies.

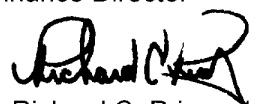
Specifications for this project were approved on September 5, 2001. Four companies purchased bid packages for this project; however, we received only one bid.

Bidder	Location	Bid
Engineer's Estimate		\$182,000
Odyssey Landscape Company	Stockton	\$184,039

FUNDING: Requested Appropriation: Street Funds \$160,000
Public Benefit Funds \$ 30,000
Budgeted: 2001/02 fiscal year
(Page E-42, 2001/02 Capital Improvement Budget)
Project Estimate: \$190,000
Bid Opening Date: November 14, 2001
Funding Available: Vicky McAthie

Vicky McAthie, Finance Director

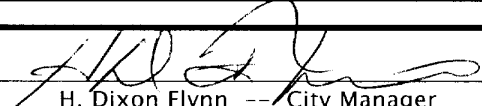

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APPROVED: _____


H. Dixon Flynn -- City Manager

RESOLUTION NO. 2001-306

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL AWARDING THE
CONTRACT FOR LANDSCAPE AND IRRIGATION INSTALLATION ON
THE SOUTH HUTCHINS STREET MEDIAN, AND APPROPRIATING
FUNDS TO COVER THE PROJECT

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WHEREAS, in answer to notice duly published in accordance with law and the order of this City Council, sealed bids were received and publicly opened on November 14, 2001 at 11:00 a.m. for the Landscape and Irrigation Installation on the South Hutchins Street Median, described in the specifications therefore approved by the City Council on September 5, 2001; and

WHEREAS, said bids have been compared, checked, and tabulated and a report thereof filed with the City Manager as follows:

<u>Bidder</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Bid</u>
<u>Engineer's Estimate</u>		<u>\$182,000.00</u>
Odyssey Landscape Company, Inc.	Stockton	\$184,039.00

WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends award of the contract for Landscape and Irrigation Installation on the South Hutchins Street Median, be made to the lowest responsible bidder, Odyssey Landscape Company, of Stockton, California.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Lodi City Council that the award of the contract for Landscape and Irrigation Installation on the South Hutchins Street Median, be and the same is hereby awarded to Odyssey Landscape Company, of Stockton, California, in the amount of \$184,039.00; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that funds be appropriated as follows:

Street Funds	\$160,000.00
Public Benefit Funds	\$ 30,000.00

Dated: December 19, 2001

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I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2001-306 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held December 19, 2001, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Hitchcock, Howard, Land, Nakanishi,
and Mayor Pennino

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None


SUSAN J. BLACKSTON
City Clerk